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I. CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as indicated in the following listing:

1. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

       acquiring a <u>original</u> database script in a source language;

       <u>copying the original database script to create a copied database script;</u>

       substituting a source language string literal <u>in the copied database script</u> with a label,

thereby creating a message file;

       using a <u>translation</u> data file to translate the source language string literal in the

message file with a target language string literal, thereby creating a label file; and

       substituting the label in the copied database script with the target language string

literal in the label file<u>;</u>

       <u>whereby a translated database is produced.</u>

2. (original) The method of claim 1 further comprising: adjusting the field width in the copied

database script.

3. (original) The method of claim 2 wherein the adjusting occurs without user intervention.

4. (original) The method of claim 2 wherein the adjusting the field width step comprises:

       analyzing a database script to determine the maximum width of each field;

       displaying a list of fields, field widths, and maximum field widths; and

       allowing a user to modify a field width.

5. (original) The method of claim 1 further comprising: running the copied database script to

create a target language database.

6. (original) The method of claim 1 further comprising: copying the database script.

7. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein the source language is English.

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8. (currently amended) A program product operable on a computer, the program product

comprising:

a computer-usable medium;

wherein the computer usable medium comprises instructions comprising:

instructions for acquiring a an original database script in a source language;___

instructions for copying the original database script to create a copied

database script;

instructions for substituting a source language string literal in the copied

database script with a label, thereby creating a message file;

instructions for using a translation data file to translate the source language

string literal in the message file with a target language string literals, thereby creating

a label file; and

instructions for substituting the label in the copied database script with the

target language string literal in the label file;

wherein a translated database script is produced.

9. (original) The program product of claim 8 further comprising: instructions for adjusting the

field width in the copied database script.

10. (original) The program product of claim 9 wherein the adjusting occurs without user

intervention.

11. (original) The program product of claim 9 wherein the adjusting the field width step

comprises:

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       instructions for analyzing a database script to determine the maximum width of each

field;

       instructions for displaying a list of fields, field widths, and maximum field widths;

and

       instructions for allowing a user to modify a field width.

12. (original) The program product of claim 8 further comprising: instructions for running the

copied database script to create a target language database.

13. (original) The program product of claim 8 further comprising: instructions for copying the

database script.

14. (original) The program product of claim 8 wherein the source language is English.

15. (currently amended) A program product ~~operable on~~ for causing a computer to translate a

source language database script into a target language database script, the program product

comprising:

       a computer-usable medium;

       wherein the computer usable medium comprises instructions encoded thereon

comprising:

          a conversion program capable of converting a database script from a source

       language into a target language having a first set of instructions comprising:

             instructions for acquiring a original database script in a source language;

             instructions for copying the original database script to create a copied

database script;

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instructions for substituting a source language string literal in the copied database script with a label, thereby creating a message file;

instructions for using a data file to translate the source language string literal in the message file with a target language string literal, thereby creating a label file;

instructions for substituting the label in the database script with the target language string literal in the label file;

instructions for adjusting the field width in the copied database script; and

a field expansion program capable of expanding the width of a field in the database script having a second set of instructions comprising:

instructions for analyzing a database script to determine the maximum width of each field;

instructions for displaying a list of fields, field widths, and maximum field widths; and

instructions for allowing a user to modify a field width;

whereby the source language database script is translated into a target language database script.

16. Canceled.

17. Canceled.

18. (currently amended) The program product of claim ~~17~~ 15 wherein the adjusting occurs without user intervention.

19. Canceled.

20. (currently amended) The program product of claim ~~16~~ 15 wherein the conversion program

further comprises: instructions for running the copied database script to create a target

language database.

21. (currently amended) The program product of claim ~~16~~ 15 wherein the conversion program

further comprises: instructions for copying the database script.

22. (currently amended) The program product of claim ~~16~~ 15 wherein the source language is

English.

23. (currently amended) A computer readable medium encoded with a plurality of instructions,

the plurality of instructions comprising:

instructions for displaying ~~A~~ a graphical user interface ~~(GUI) for translating a~~

~~database script from a source language to a target language~~ having a window, a menu displayed

on the window, and an option displayed on the menu;

wherein user selection of the option causes a computer program to execute, the

computer program comprising:

a conversion program capable of converting a database script from a source

language into a target language having a first set of instructions comprising:

instructions for acquiring a original database script in a source language;

instructions for copying the original database script to create a copied

database script;

instructions for substituting a source language string literal in the copied

database script with a label, thereby creating a message file;

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instructions for using a data file to translate the source language string literal in the message file with a target language string literal, thereby creating a label file;

instructions for substituting the label in the copied database script with the target language string literal in the label file;

instructions for adjusting the field width in the copied database script; and

a field expansion program capable of expanding the width of a field in the copied database script having a second set of instructions comprising:

instructions for analyzing a copied database script to determine the maximum width of each field;

instructions for displaying a list of fields, field widths, and maximum field widths; and

instructions for allowing a user to modify a field width;

whereby the source language database script is translated into a target language database script.

24. Canceled.

25. Canceled.

26. (currently amended) The GUI of claim 25 23 further comprising: instructions for adjusting the field width in the copied database script.

27. (original) The GUI of claim 26 wherein the adjusting occurs without user intervention.

28. Canceled.

29. (currently amended) The GUI of claim 25 23 further comprising: instructions for running the copied database script to create a target language database.

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30. (currently amended) The GUI of claim 25 23 further comprising: instructions for copying the

database script.

31. (currently amended) The GUI of claim 25 23 wherein the source language is English.